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Schwerin.

27 November. The guard battalion stationed in Goerries was commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Potselnika (fnu) and was subordinate to the Artillery

20 November. The infantry battalion stationed in the Fritsch Kaserne and commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Pechevalsky (fnu) was subordinate to stationed in Sternbuchholz.

28 November. Colonel Yeshov (fnu) belonged to the headquarters stationed in Goerries.

Lieutenant Colonel Muzikin (fnu) belonged to the Adolf Hitler Kaserne and commanded by Colonel Poshekonov (fnu).

The field bakery, Luebecker Strasse, also served the units stationed in Goerries.

23 November. Lieutenant Colonel Gortiyenkov (fnu), requested 11,800 eastmarks for the construction of lavatories.

2. Rostock.

16 November. The Baltic Sea border guard headquarters, was quartered in Ulmen Kaserne, and was commanded by Colonel Skripin (fnu). Lieutenant Colonel Titarenko (fnu) was supply officer. The headquarters further included Lieutenant Colonel Loshkin, Major Perarov and Major Yastin (all fnu). The area guarded by this unit extended from Steinbeck near Kluetz, and Poel as far as Ruegen. The Ruegen area was subordinate to another border guard unit, which was under the command of Colonel Biyukov (fnu). On 13 November 1953, as allotted a total of 52,900 eastmarks for repair work at several strong points.

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23 November. [REDACTED] under the command of Colonel Staronovskii (fnu), was quartered in Ulmen Kaserne and Putlitz Kaserne on Kopernikusstrasse. On 17 November, the battalion commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Shalda (fnu) and stationed in the installation on Kopernikusstrasse was allotted 39,600 eastmarks for urgent repair work.²

3. Wismar.

27 November. Colonel Negerevich (fnu) of Artillery [REDACTED] stationed in the Flak Kaserne, had been transferred to an undetermined destination. He was succeeded by Colonel Chernishev (fnu).³

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4. Parchim.

17 November. Colonel Minshak (fnu) [REDACTED] stationed in Alte Kaserne, had been transferred to an undetermined destination. His successor was Colonel Drytaniyev (fnu).⁴

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5. Ruegen.

21 November. Colonel Kilibatov (fnu) [REDACTED] had been transferred to an undetermined destination in early November and had been succeeded by Colonel Horobrikh (fnu). On 16 November 1953, [REDACTED] had been allotted another 14 one-story quartering buildings for 80 troops and 2 one-story officer billets for 16 officers in the Prora area by the quartermaster office of the VP in Stralsund.⁵

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2. [REDACTED] in Rostock. [REDACTED] 25X1

once as belonging to a border guard unit stationed in the coastal area. The headquarters of the unit may be stationed in the Ulmen Kaserne where, according to other reports, a naval unit of about 150 men is permanently stationed. Lieutenant Colonel Titarenko (fnu) has been mentioned in connection with the abovementioned unit. [REDACTED] a unit of the 3d Gds AT Arty Brig with the known Lieutenant Colonel Shalda (fnu) in Rostock until 23 November 1953. The brigade is quartered in Ulmen Kaserne, as well as Putlitz Kaserne.

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3. [REDACTED] the 199th Gds Gun Arty Regt of the 94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div in Wismar until 27 November 1953. Colonel Chernishev (fnu), who is mentioned for the first time, may be the successor of the known Colonel Negerevich (fnu), commanding officer of the regiment.

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4. [redacted] the 33d Tank Regt (US) of the 18th Mech Div in Farchim until 17 November 1953. Colonel Minshak (fnu), who has been known as commanding officer of the regiment, presumably was succeeded by Colonel Drybaniyev (fnu), who was reported for the first time.

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5. [redacted] the Hq 4th AT Arty Brig (US) in Rügen Island until 21 November 1953. Colonel Kilibatov (fnu) was repeatedly reported in connection with the headquarters [redacted]

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